

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**RESPONSE**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on **October 16, 2008** finally rejecting claims 25 and 27-29, Applicant respectfully requests that the above-identified application be reconsidered in view of the remarks which follow, that each of the pending claims be allowed, and that the application be passed to issue.

**REMARKS**

Claims 25 and 27-29 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Namikawa et al (US 5,600,203, hereinafter "Namikawa") in view of Ellison et al (US 20020079611, hereinafter "Ellison") and in further view of Guenther et al (US 6,949,880, hereinafter "Guenther").

Applicant respectfully submits that claims 25 and 27-29 as pending are in condition for allowance, as will be discussed in further detail herein below. The remarks of the instant